Alexandina Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 8.

A DIVER'S AWFUL EXPERIENCE.-Gardiner Floyd, a well-known diver of Portland. Me., had an awful experience many feet under water at Mattawamkeag a few days ago. He was at work on a foundation for a coffer dam at the site of a pier for a new bridge for the Canadian Pacific Railroad. He had put a chain around a big rock and given the signal to hoist it, when a large piece of the rock broke off. It fell upon the diver, knocked him down, and pinned one leg and foot the bottom. His crowbar was just beyond his reach, and he feared every moment that his air supply would give out. The bottom was of mud and gravel, and The bottom was of mud and grave, and rather soft. Mr. Floyd set to work to dig himself free with his hands. As fast as he undermined the rock he propped it with small etones. He dog away for dear life for just half an hour before he succeeded in getting his leg free. His air hose was resting on two points of a ledge, but by careful handling he got it straightened out and gave the signal to hoist. He was completely ex-hausted when he reached the surface. His hausted when he reached the surface. foot-and leg were badly bruised, but no bones were broken.

At Balakhan, near Baku, Russia, a new petroleum spring, which rose 150 yards, flooded the country, impregnating every Nobody ventures to light a fire for fear the town will go off like fireworks.

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